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Sent: Monday, June 06, 2022 11:41 AM
To: Bottcher, Helen
Subject: RE: Bradford Island Superfund Site

Hello Helen,
There are no PCBs in the old units being replaced.

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Subject: [Non-DoD Source] RE: Bradford Island Superfund Site

Hello, Jess. Thanks for reaching out about the transformer project on Bradford Island.

I am curious – does the transformer being replaced contain PCBs?

We don't have a final site boundary yet. That will be determined through the site investigation process. Under the Superfund law, the site includes not only source areas, but all areas where contamination has come to rest. For now, we are using a modified version of the attached figure, and defining the site as the upland area (highlighted in brown), the river sediments and shorelines upstream to the upper end of Goose Island (highlighted in blue), and the river sediments and shorelines one mile downstream of the spillway (not highlighted yet).

If your project will take place within the upland operable unit, you should coordinate with EPA (me and Rich Francis, copied on this message) and with Christine Budai, the USACE PM on the CERCLA project. We'll review your draft work plan and recommend any additional measures, if needed, to ensure you don't disturb contaminated soils. Seems unlikely, but we would be happy to take a quick look and confirm.

Have a great weekend –

Helen Bottcher

From: JONES, J T (JESS) CIV USARMY CENWP (USA) <Jessica.T.Jones@usace.army.mil>
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Hello Helen,

I am reaching out to get more information on the boundaries of the site. There is currently a proposed project to replace the transformers at the service building on the Island and I just want to cross-reference the boundary to the proposed location of the replacement transformer.

Thank you

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